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Application No. 10/825,140  
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**- REMARKS/ARGUMENTS -**

Claims 1 to 21 remain in the application.

The Applicant was required under 35 U.S.C. 121 to elect a single disclosed species for prosecution on the merits.

The Applicant elects Species B (Figs. 4 and 5) for prosecution on the merits. Claims 1, 2, 3, 5 to 11, and 16 to 21 are readable on Species B.

The preamble of claim 21 has been slightly amended to correct a typographical error.

In view of the foregoing, the application is believed to be in condition for allowance, and an early action to this effect would be much appreciated.


Respectfully submitted,


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